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Sir:

The reference cited on attached form PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B is being called to the attention of the Examiner. In compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3), an English translation equivalent to the November 18, 2003 cited IDS reference "B" is enclosed. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the attached English translation of European Patent publication EP067520,3 which claims priority to DE 4406512.

It is respectfully requested that the cited reference be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and the reference be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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